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ATTENTION: BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the divisional patent application of

Inventors: **Michael M. Neff and Joanne Chory**

For: **GENETICALLY MODIFIED PLANTS HAVING MODULATED BRASSINOSTEROID
SIGNALING**

Enclosed are:

- (X) 7 sheets of informal drawings.
- (X) Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 listing 7 references.
- (X) Sequence Submission Statement.
- (X) Sequence Listing in 6 pages.
- (X) Sequence Listing in Computer Readable Format (one disk).
- (X) A copy of the Declaration by inventors from prior application.
- (X) A copy of the Assignment by inventors and USPTO Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document from prior application
- (X) A copy of the Power of Attorney from prior application.
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- (X) This application is a divisional of prior application number 09/527,073, filed on March 16, 2000.
- (X) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

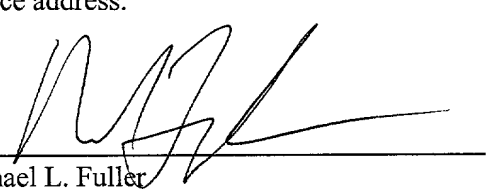
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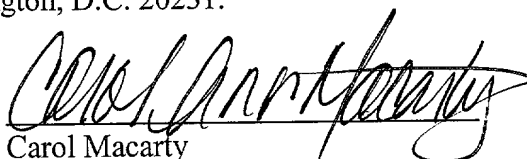
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SEQUENCE SUBMISSION STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

A copy of the Sequence Listing in computer readable form as required by 37 C.F.R.
§ 1.821(e) is submitted herewith.

As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), the data on the enclosed disk is identical to the
Sequence Listing in the application filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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